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Our New...

Department....

Within a few days we will open our **LADIES READY-MADE DEPARTMENT.** This line has been added to our business in response to repeated requests from many of our customers who have visited such departments in City Stores and have found out what great conveniences and savors of patience, worry, nerves and money

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SIX THOUSAND.

**List of Dead Grows Longer as
The Debris Is Cleared Away.**

**Nearly 2,000 Unidentified Bodies
Burned—One Sixth of The
Population Killed.**

Galveston, Tex., Sept. 17.—Of Galveston's population of 38,000, 6,000 were killed.

The area of total destruction was 1300 acres. There were 5000 dwellings, hotels, churches and convents utterly destroyed.

More than 1500 bodies have been burned.

The property loss is not less than \$15,000,000.

One hundred and twenty-five men, most of them negroes, were shot to death for robbing the dead.

Out of this disaster, unparalleled in the history of the nation, Galveston is rising to reclaim her place among the most prosperous of our cities.

Her railroads have pledged themselves to aid in rebuilding the city.

Her merchants are resolute to resume business. Her banks are ready to assist in the re-establishment of commerce and outside capital is flowing in.

The greatest need of the hour is not money, but disinfectants by the ton, so that workmen may bear to work among the ruins.

The Measure of Aid Required.

What measure of aid Galveston requires is here presented:

There were 38,000 persons in the city when the census was taken a few weeks ago. After the storm 32,000 remained. Three thousand have left since.

How many must be helped and how long? The men who know most of the situation, who have lived in it day and night since Sunday, hesitate to answer. Mr. McVette, the executive head of the relief work, says there are not 3500 people in the city who do not require assistance. Mr. Lowe of the Galveston News says he believes that fully two-thirds of the surviving population are dependent today.

The conclusion is forced that there are today in Galveston over 20,000 people on thereabouts who must be helped.

Those who can stay will do so if the country responds to the needs in anything like the measure given to Johnston, to Chicago, to Charleston and to other stricken cities and sections.

Everybody Has Gone to Work.

Conditions here continue to improve amazingly fast. The manner in which the country responded, when the magnitude of the tragedy was realized, has lifted Galveston from the depths of depression to the heights of hope.

Everybody is at work. Three thousand men are laboring under command of the citizens' committee on general cleaning. The streets are full of stock from the stores, being dried. Everybody is trying to save something.

Women are making desperate efforts to rescue their household effects, yards are filled with mattresses and clothing, everywhere is evidence of a fixed determination to dry out and rise, squads are at work all over town, cleaning up the debris. One leader has 600 men under him. He gives them food and clothes, and is feeding 3700 persons in his district. Nobody is paid money or expects it.

"They who will not work should not eat," was the principle adopted when the organization was perfected. Today few idle mouths are being fed in Galveston.

The odor of carbolic acid is everywhere. Teams can go through most of the streets gathering up the debris, which is being burned as fast as collected. Delicate care has been taken to burn the human bodies on different pyres from those used for the carcasses of animals. There are 100 of these pyres.

NEW ORLEANS CITIZEN.

Well Known Here, Dies at Waukesha Springs, Wis.

Information concerning the death of Mr. John Bobb, of New Orleans, La., at Waukesha Springs, Wis., was received here Friday by relatives. His death was caused by Bright's disease from which he had been a sufferer for several months.

Mr. Bobb was engaged in the brokerage business in New Orleans and was one of the foremost business men of that city. He was a brother of Mrs. Albert Kelly, of this county, and a nephew of Mrs. Alex Campbell, of this city. He leaves a wife, but no children. He was well known in this city, having frequently visited relatives here.

Miss Emily Bobb, his sister, who had been visiting the family of Esq. Alex Campbell, left Friday evening for New Orleans to attend the funeral.

JULE MERCER

**Unable to Give a Peace Bond and
Sent to Jail.**

S. C. Mercer, Jr., was arrested Friday afternoon for making threats against the life of his father. He was arraigned before City Judge Campbell but the case not being ready for trial he was committed to jail for the night. On Saturday he was tried and required to give a peace bond of \$3,500. In default of bond, he was again sent to jail and was still in jail yesterday afternoon.

EXCHANGED FARMS.

**Todd County Planters "Swap"
Near Trenton.**

Trenton, Ky., Sept. 15.—Messrs. John T. Evans and E. R. Thompson, prominent planters of near this place, have traded farms and took possession of their new property this week.

The Thompson place of 558 acres adjoins the Evans farm of 275 acres, and it is understood that the "swap" was acre for acre. Mr. Evans paying \$48 per acre for the amount of land in excess of his farm.

G. M. M.

CIRCUIT COURT.

**Another Pretty Heavy Docket for
Fall Term.**

Friday was the last day for filing suits for the Fall terms of Circuit Court which convenes in this city next Monday for a session of six weeks. There are 111 new suits, as against 113 for the previous six weeks' term. Of this number thirty-eight are divorce petitions.

There 191 continued equity cases, 73 continued common law cases, and 156 commonwealth cases, continued from last term, making 531 cases on the docket.

CAUSED BY CONSUMPTION.

**Mrs. J. H. Morgan Dies After
Long Illness.**

Trenton, Ky., Sept. 15.—Mrs. Fannie Morgan, wife of Mr. J. H. Morgan, of West Fork, died last Thursday evening of consumption, aged 28 years. She has been in bad health for a year or more and had recently spent some time in Texas, in the hope that she might be benefited by that climate. She was a member of the Methodist church and a most popular lady.

G. M. M.

GRANGERS DONATE.

**Appropriate \$30 For The Galveston
Flood Survivors.**

Church Hill Grange held its regular meeting Friday and made an appropriation of \$30 for the relief of the survivors of the Galveston flood. Resolutions of sympathy were also adopted.

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M. V. DULIN, Crofton, Ky.

CONDENSED STATEMENT
OF THE
First National Bank

of Hopkinsville, Kentucky,
at the close of business

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$185,247.41
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	1,828.46
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	20,000.00
Stocks, bonds, etc.	500.00

Due from National Banks, (not reserve agents)	912.7
Due from State Banks and bankers	10,207.1
Due from approved reserve agents	21,085.1
Internal Revenue Stamps	250.0
Checks and other cash items	237.8
Notes of other National Banks	6.0

Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	299 1/2
Lawful money Reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$14,080.00
Legal-tender notes	4,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, a percent of circulation	1,000.00

Due from U. S. Treasurer other	
than 5 percent redemption fund	2.7
Total	\$254,387.1
LIABILITIES.	

Capital stock paid in	50,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	6,874.50
National Bank notes outstanding	20,000.00
Due to State Banks and Bankers	232.25
Dividends unpaid	500.00
Individual shareholders' shares not cashed	100.00

Total \$161,800 1

STATE OF KENTUCKY
COUNTY OF CHRISTIAN } ss.
I, John W. Lang, Cashier of the above-named
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Signature
of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

KENTUCKY CROP REPORT.

Conditions Sept. 1. With Special Reports From Many Counties.

Office of Commissioner of Agriculture, Etc.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 3, 1900.—Our report is based on very full and complete replies from nearly every county in the State. Conditions generally are fully up to the conditions reported for August 1, although a severe drought has prevailed in the extreme Western portion and more or less in localities all over the whole Western part of the State. The central and eastern parts have fared better with respect to rains and reports indicate in almost all the bluegrass section improvement in corn, tobacco, pastures, meadows and fruits. But when the improvement is set against the loss in Western Kentucky the report for the month does not differ materially from that of August 1. Live stock generally healthy, with hog cholera in spots. Christian county seems to be about the worst in this respect, some farmers about Casky having lost heavily. Nelson, Grant, Crittenden and Ohio counties report a low condition for live stock and there, with several other counties, report shortage of stock hogs, bringing the average down to 82, as compared with last year. There has perhaps never been a better outlook for tobacco in the bluegrass and Kentucky river district. Reports indicate condition 90, but if taken for the section mentioned, it would be above 100. It is the "dark" district that pulls down the average condition. Reports indicate that 25 per cent of the crop was cut Sept. 1, and the work is progressing so rapidly that the planters' absence at political gatherings is noted. The Burley crop is going into the barn in good order.

A few extracts are made from the remarks accompanying the county reports:

Anderson—Stock hogs scarcer than I ever know. Bluegrass injured by white grub. The grub turned to a beetle and damaged number also.

Allen—Worms are bad on tobacco in last ten days.

Breckenridge—Too much rain early followed by drought; crops are dried up; tobacco cut without being properly matured.

Barren—Corn crop not so good as August 1st, on account of drought; yield will be poor. Tobacco steep since 1892.

Caldwell—Hogs and cattle scarce tobacco being cut prematurely.

Bourbon—Excessive rainfall damaged tobacco on low lands 10 per cent; worms troublesome. Those who used insect destroyers fared better than others, as frequent rains destroyed effects of it.

Clark—Quite a percentage of corn blown down and damaged. Pastures better than I ever saw them.

Carlisle—Crops in bad condition for want of rain. Some hog cholera.

Christian—Severe drought, with very hot weather, which has materially damaged corn and tobacco. Much tobacco cut too early to prevent its drying up.

Caldwell—Tobacco has fired at ground until quite a proportion of plants have but four leaves; pastures dried up.

Crittenden—Apples are noticeably good on high bluff lands.

Davies—Tobacco firing badly and being cut prematurely.

Fulton—Corn in low lands total failure; 50 per cent. is a large estimate all round.

Graves—Worms on tobacco worse than for five years. Some tobacco cut green on account of them.

Gallatin—Tobacco crop largest and best in twenty years; stock hogs very scarce.

Hart—Tobacco beginning to house-burn; late crop not good.

Henderson—Some hog cholera; tobacco cut before ripe because of drought.

Kenton—Tobacco damaged by hail; weeds choking the whole country; elm trees all dying from some cause. No prospect for sowing large wheat crop; farmers are quitting sheep raising; stock hogs scarce.

Livingston—Four weeks of drought and heat; corn and late tobacco will be light and chaffy. Peas and sorghum will be fed to stock early.

Lincoln—Wheat averaged about sixteen bushels per acre and sold at sixty-four cents; stock hogs all

ing at four to five cents.

Lawrence—This county seldom raises all corn it needs and always imports flour. Sorghum is up to ten year average. It is made into syrup largely. One firm handled \$125,000 worth of poultry last year. Monroe—Hogs have died with cholera and are scarce. Will have to begin feeding stock, as pastures are dried up. Stock pens a standard crop.

McCracken—Tobacco cutting ten days earlier than intended to prevent its burning up in the fields. Heat and drought injuring corn and fruit.

Marion—Very little clover will be cut for seed. Large acreage of field peas sown for hay.

Pendleton—Crops improved materially in August. Tobacco is regarded as best crop ever made in the county. Hogs scarce.

Robertson—Dogs have killed many sheep; dog law is wanted.

Taylor—Corn not 'earring' out as it should. Stock hogs scarcer than for years.

Summary.

The general summary is as follows.

Corn—Acreage 99, condition 91. Wheat—Yield compared with ten year, 99 per cent, sold 41.

Oats—Yield, 100. Barley—Yield, 81 (but few counties reporting).

Rye—Yield 90. Potatoes—Acreage, 102; condition, 103.

Tobacco—Acreage, 98; condition, 99; per cent of crop cut September 1st, 26.

Pastures—Condition, 82; meadow, 70.

Cloverseed—76; bluegrass seed, 91.

Live Stock—Condition 95; stock hogs, 82; sheep, 92.

Fruit—Apples, 48; peaches, 74; pears, 68; grapes, 80.

I. B. NALL,

Commissioner.

CARLISLE

Says He Will Not Cast His Vote For McKinley.

Washington, Sept. 11.—Former Secretary Carlisle and Mr. James D. Richardson make no secret of what transpired at their interview in New York. Mr. Carlisle told Mr. Richardson that he did not intend to endorse the McKinley policy in regard to the new territory, and did not intend to vote for McKinley, but he declined to write a letter on the subject or to make any public expression, declaring that he was now a private citizen and did not intend to engage again in public affairs.

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P. C. JESSE, Secretary.

BIDS WANTED.

For furnishing coal for the Western Kentucky Asylum for the Insane. Sealed proposals for furnishing coal for the Western Kentucky Asylum for the Insane near Hopkinsville, Ky., for the period of one year beginning Oct. 1st, 1900, will be received at the office of Buckner Leavelle, Steward of said Asylum, until noon of Sept. 29th, 1900. Bids will be received on lump coal, nut coal, pea coal, and of this kind and size in such quantities as the necessities of the institution will require. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. As bidders are requested to deliver their proposals to the Steward in person, and the successful bidder will be required to furnish satisfactory bond for the faithful performance of the contract, Steward, W. K. A. for 1.

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FIRE NEAR CROFTON.

Axe-Handle Factory and Contents Reduced to Ashes.

Crofton, Ky., Sept. 15.—Harrod & Simmons' axe-handle factory, situated about half mile from this place, was destroyed by fire last night, together with considerable crude stock and a car load of choice handles, which were ready for shipment. The fire it is thought, caught from a flue. The loss is several hundred dollars and there was no insurance. It was a branch factory of the large establishment of J. W. Harrod & Bro., of Adams, Tenn., and a handsome business had been enjoyed by the firm.

ELOPED TO DOVER.

Canton Couple Had Knot Tied In Tennessee.

Mr. Edward Murphy and Miss Cleopatra Woodriddle, a young couple living near Canton, eloped to Dover, Tenn., and were married at the residence of Mr. J. Hop Major, formerly of Canton. After viewing the sights around Dover they returned to Trigg, where they will make their future home.

Jeff Ezell, Bumpus Mills, Tenn., lost his tobacco barn and about 1,500 sticks of tobacco by fire last week.

QUARRELED AT DANCE.

At a colored dance one mile west of the city Saturday night Will Wallace and Will Nance became involved in a row that may result fatally to the former. It is claimed that Wallace drew a knife and was advancing upon Nance when the latter opened fire. One ball took effect in Wallace's head and the other in his body. He was brought to his home in this city, where he now lies in a critical condition. Nance came into town yesterday and surrendered to the authorities and was placed in jail.

OLYMPIA OPERA CO.

The Elks Fair attraction at the Opera House next week is one of the best and largest high class Opera companies on the road. The Olympia Opera Company will on the 27th, 28th and 29th present four operas (including matinee) viz: "Said Pasha," "Olivette," "The Chimes of Normandy," and "The Black Hussars." The New Orleans Picayune says of the company: "The Olympia Opera Company last night gave Audran's tuneful opera of Olivette in a really charming manner. Mr. William Herman West was excellent as Captain de Meremac and Mr. E. L. Weston made a dashing lover as Valentine. Wm. Hicks made much of the comedy role of Coquelicot, the foster brother. Miss Lottie Kendall looked exceedingly handsome and stately as the Countess de Rouillon and Miss Mattie Wood made a delightfully fascinating Olivette."

Dupuy U. S. Marshal L. Yonts, of this city, and W. H. Overby, deputy internal revenue collector, of Henderson, have returned from Todd county, where they succeeded in capturing three stills, with outfits, though the moonshiners escaped. The party captured the first two stills without trouble, but at the third a desperate resistance was offered them by the moonshiners, and the still was captured only after a hot fight.

Hats and Caps, men's and boy's new styles at Frankel's.

ELKS SECURE INJUNCTION

To Obtain Possession of Mercer Park for Their Fair.

The Elks had considerable trouble and annoyance last week over a claim set up by Miss Morton to the possession of Mercer Park. She claims to have rented the ground as a pasture for her cow until October and demanded a large sum for the use of the Park during the carnival next week. The Elks refused and were backed up in their refusal by the owner of the Park. Miss Morton thereupon locked the gate and took forcible possession of the Park. The Elks went before County Judge Canler and obtained an injunction, prohibiting Miss Morton from interfering with their occupancy of the Park. This injunction was ignored and a committee went to Cadiz to see Judge Cook and the circuit judge came to Hopkinsville Saturday afternoon to try Miss Morton for contempt.

Miss Morton, who had been put under bond, was sick and unable to attend, according to the testimony of her physician, Dr. W. M. Puqua, and the contempt proceedings were postponed until Sept. 25 and the injunction was made mandatory and the sheriff appointed to open the park gate and keep it open. The work of preparing the Park for the Carnival was resumed yesterday and all is moving along smoothly once more.

READY FOR BUSINESS.

Bonte & Anderson Resume Work At Old Stand.

The firm of Bonte & Anderson, which recently suffered a heavy loss by fire, have had their building remodelled and are now ready for all kinds of work at the old stand.

They have also replenished their stock with the best of the market affluence. They are prepared to put on rubber tires or to do any and all kinds of repair work. Give them a call.

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DAMAGE SUIT. CUT HIS THROAT.

Administrator of George Gray, Trigg County Farmer Commits Suicide—No Cause Known.

The administrator of George Gray has sued the Illinois Central Railroad Company for ten thousand dollars damages. It is alleged in the petition that Gray, a colored man who lived in this city, was killed by one of the company's trains in Henderson one night last January and that his death was due to gross carelessness on the part of the railroad company's agents. The suit was filed here and the case will be tried at the fall term of Circuit Court, which begins next Monday.

The following item appeared in Sunday's Nashville American: "Thomas Atwood, a wealthy planter of Trigg county, residing six miles west of Cadiz, near the Cumberland River, committed suicide by cutting a jugular vein. He had been in a barn where his sons were stripping tobacco, but left them, and could not be found when called to supper. Later on he was found dead in a pool of his own blood. He had opened a vein and bled to death. No cause for the act is known. He was 50 years old and leaves a wife and five children."

A DAY IN JAIL

Jury Returns Verdict of Involuntary Manslaughter.

Clarksville, Tenn., Sept. 16.—After being out for about two hours with the case, the jury trying L. M. Clardy for the killing of young Will Southall, returned a verdict yesterday evening of guilty of involuntary manslaughter, and fixed his punishment at one day in the county jail.

The case has attracted more interest than any other probably that ever came up before a Montgomery county jury. The killing for which Clardy was on trial was committed a year ago last July in a tobacco patch on the Southall farm in the Fourth District. Will Southall and Zephiah Clardy were playmates, schoolmates, lovers. One night he took her to a prayer-meeting in his buggy, and on the return accompanied her ruin. By promise of marriage, threats and persuasion, he wrought upon the girl to continue improper relations with him for several months. Reports of it came to Clardy's ears, and on broaching the subject to his daughter, he was told the truth. He came to Clarksville, procured a marriage license and a box of cartridges, and returned to his home in the Fourth District. A day or two after he went to where Southall was at work in the field, and according to testimony, gave him choice between death and marrying the girl he had wronged. Upon his refusal to accompany him to the house and marry the girl, the outraged father shot him three times in the body with turkey shot, killing him instantly. Southall's brother, Charley, working about a hundred yards distant, ran up and attacked Clardy, beating him over the head with a heavy stone and leaving him, as he thought, dead on the ground. Clardy recovered, was arrested and bailed out, and his first trial, January last, resulted in a hung jury. The present trial lasted four days.

New Neckwear for ladies and gents just received at Frankel's.

FACTS AND FIGURES OF

The Union Finance Company.

INCORPORATED.

NO. 107 MAIN STREET, - HENDERSON, KY.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, \$100,000.00.

- DIRECTORS:**
- JNO. W. GEIBEL, JNO. R. LAMBERT, E. J. HALEY, THOS. POSEY, P. R. YANEY.
- OFFICERS:**
- JNO. W. GEIBEL, Pres. P. R. YANEY, Sec'y and Treas. THOS. POSEY, Supt. of Agents.

This is a seven month's record, beginning in February and completed in August.

The record of the company in regard to profits to its investors places it far in advance of all would be rivals. Of the first months coupons (2000) sold, on the seventh redemption in August, only 485 were left on the books, which means that over 75 per cent. have been paid off at their full redemption value. Of the second month's stock 1 has redeemed over 20 per cent. or more than one-fifth of it. Of the 3rd, 4th, 5th and subsequent month's stock sold, not including the special redemption of the Hopkinsville branch, an average of 18 2-3 per cent. has been redeemed. Under the action of the Directors of the Company, a special redemption was granted to the Hopkinsville Branch of The Union Finance Company, for out of the first month's stock of 1500 coupons sold in August, 500 were redeemed in August. The Company also grants to those of the Hopkinsville Branch who buy stock during the month of September a numeral of 10. So that any purchasers who holds as many as ten coupons may be sure of at least one redemption. Again the Company has already paid in the redemption of coupons in the short space of its life \$15,412, an average of over \$2,200 per month. Of the 9360 sold in Henderson and Owensboro, the Company has called in, redeemed and canceled 2984, which is nearly 32 per cent. of the total on the Home Office books, and which makes a splendid average of 426 coupons for each of the seven months.

The leading features of a good investment Co. may be enumerated as follows: 1st. The integrity & ability of the men controlling it. 2nd. The contract or plan. In regard to the first the following testimonial of Mr. B. G. Witt, of Henderson, who is cashier of the Ohio Valley Banking & Trust Co., is submitted, endorsed by such people as Wyatt Ingram, Jr., of Farmer's Bank & Trust Co.; Clay & Clay, Yeaman & Yeaman; "Henderson, Ky., June 30, 1900, Messrs. Laffoon & Langley, Madisonville, Ky., Dear Sirs: Replying to your inquiries concerning the standing of The Union Finance Company of this place and its officials, we are pleased to state very positively that its rating here in financial circles is of the best character. Its directorate is composed of some of the most conservative and successful business men in the commercial activities of our city. Their control and management assures the business public honorable and fair dealing. Respect, B. G. Witt." With regard to the second feature, viz: "The Contract or Plan." The salient points of a good plan or contract may be stated. 1st. One which guarantees economy in its management. 2nd. One which yields the largest profits, consistent with safety. 3rd. One which most amply guards all of its investors. Touching the first point, The Union Finance is the only Company in the world which grants a redemption value on the first month. This is the highest possible guarantee to every investor of economy of management and gives every assurance that the expense of putting the business on the books will be kept at the minimum and it also secures a saving of time to the investor of from 3 to 6 months. The books of The Union Finance up to this date will show a total expense of less than 25c per coupon now on its books. Referring now to the 2nd point, The Union Finance pays a maximum value of 200 per cent for every dollar paid in. Then again the Reserve Fund of The Union Finance, that bulwark of safety to the certificate holders, there is a larger and more adequate provision made in the plan of The Union Finance than in that of any other Company in existence, for in addition to the 15 per cent of every dollar paid in, which goes immediately into the Reserve Fund, there is an additional clause which when a coupon is redeemed a dollar from the Redemption Fund may be added to the Reserve, also all fines, forfeitures and reinstatement fees belong to it, so that considering the fact that 65 per cent of every dollar, a larger Redemption Fund than is provided by most Companies, goes into the Redemption fund of this Company, it is clear to any unbiased mind that the plan of this company is more safely guarded than that of any other.

Talk With **G. H. MOORE, Agent.**

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Sept. 17.—(Special).—Sept. wheat opened at 75½, closed at 76½. October wheat opened at 76, closed at 77½. November wheat opened at 77, closed at 78. Sept. corn opened at 40½, closed at 40½. October corn opened at 38½, closed at 38½. November corn opened at 36½, closed at 36½. October oats opened at 21½, closed at 21½.

Fair and Cool.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 17.—(Special).—Fair and cool to-night, Tuesday and probably Wednesday.

HERE AND THERE.

Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Thos. Moore, an employe at Jernigan's planing mill in Pembroke, had his left foot cut off by a rip saw one day last week.

See the Hosiery display in Frankel's show window.

Young family horse and surrey for sale at a bargain. Apply here.

Drown your sorrows in a cup of Yale Coffee. Sold by N. L. McKee.

FOR SALE—My farm on the Canton pile. Jos. W. Hill.

Rev. A. C. Dorris, of Lafayette, has tendered his resignation as pastor of Oak Grove Baptist church, near Cadiz.

Euy your shoes of Jiff Morris. He can fit you in any style and guarantee satisfaction. Over Claude Clark's grocery.

New Fall Trousers at Sam Frankel's.

Wild Goose Liniment cures rheumatism and neuralgia. 25c at all druggists.

All kinds of shoe repairing done on short notice by Jeff. Morris, up stairs over Clark's grocery.

A. W. Pyle, Embalmer and Undertaker. Phone answered day or night promptly.

Account of Tri-County Fair the Illinois Central R. R. will sell round trip tickets to Henderson, on Sept. 25th to 29th inclusive, at rate of one fare. Return limit Sept. 30.

Miss Ida Johnson and Mrs. Jackson have opened a dressmaking establishment over the south store of the Trice building on South Main. Will also sew for Misses and children. Make gentlemen's shirt waists.

Prof. Walter Petty, of Liberty, Mo., has been elected to fill the chair of modern languages and science at South Kentucky College, made vacant by the resignation of Prof. Smith.

See those swell Flannelettes at Frankel's.

FOR SALE—Beautiful shady homestead, about 30 acres first class land, well improved. Good location for a physician. Well watered. Nice young orchard. None need apply unless they mean business.

GEORGE WILLS

The Square, Ky.

The Guthrie Fair commences tomorrow and will continue four days. A special train will be run from Madisonville on the last three days of the fair, passing this city at 9:25 a. m., and returning will Guthrie at 6:30 p. m., passing here at 7:15.

Frankel's are always first in style of dress goods and wraps. See their styles and prices before buying.

The L. & N. R. R. will sell round trip tickets to Louisville Sept. 17 to 29th, inclusive, at Oct. 1st, at \$6.84 a round trip. Street Fair. Also held Sept. 18, 19, 22, 26 and 29, limited to one day after date of sale at \$1.15 for the round trip.

C. E. MILLER, Agent.

Frankel's fall and winter clothing now on sale. Men's suits, boys' school suits, young men's suits and overcoats.

Louisville will hold a Horse Show October 15 to 19, inclusive. This will be Kentucky's initial at a Kentucky indoor horse show. In fact it will be the first big show to be held in the South. The Association has 100 members, the leading citizens of Louisville, and they have made plans to accommodate a great throng of visitors.

ASK YOUR GROCER FOR



DIVORCE SUITS.

Already Three More Added to the Long List.

Lou Moseley vs. Moses Moseley is the style of a divorce suit filed Friday. The petition states that the parties were married in Clarksville, in 1875, and lived together in this county until 1898. Abandonment is charged.

Dora Bell Heck sues for legal separation from Adam Heck, alleging abandonment. They were married in Henderson, the petition states, in 1894, and lived together until 1895.

Walter Bell has filed suit for divorce from Tonie Bell. The petition states that the parties were married in this city May 2, 1899, and plaintiff says defendant, without any fault on his part, separated from him immediately after marriage and that they have since lived apart.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. G. E. Gaither and wife have returned from Cerulean.

Miss Katherine Quick has returned from Cadiz.

Mrs. J. C. Buckner has returned from a visit to Cerulean.

Misses Mattie and Alice O'Dell, of Sinking Fork, spent Friday in the city.

Miss Kate Brasher, who visited relatives here last week, has returned home.

Mrs. Lee J. Barbe and children, of Graham, Va., are visiting relatives near Oak Grove.

Mrs. J. R. Reeves has returned from a visit of several weeks to relatives in Crew, Va.

Miss Grace Wood has returned from a lengthy visit to her sister, Mrs. J. R. Barr, in Lexington.

Mr. C. F. Jarrett and wife returned Saturday from a visit of several weeks to the northern lakes.

Dr. R. R. Bourne has returned from a three weeks' visit to Waukesha and other northern points.

Mr. Henry M. Frankel has returned from the East, where he made large purchases for the Fall trade.

Mrs. Geo. Cardwell and daughter, Miss Minnie, of Cincinnati, are guests of the family of Mr. J. D. Hill, the former's brother.

Miss Johnnie Smith, of this city, who has been spending several days with friends at Sinking Fork, has returned home.

Mr. J. E. McPherson, his daughter, Miss Annie, and son, Jamie, returned last night from a visit of two weeks to Atlantic City and other eastern points.

Mr. John P. Burnett left yesterday for Kansas and will be absent about six weeks. He is in the interest of the L. S. & S. Co., of Columbia, O.

Mr. C. A. Cosby left yesterday for Texas, where he will go on the road for a Philadelphia hat house. Ben Winfree accompanied him and will handle a line of Mr. Cosby's goods.

Mrs. L. D. Burkholder and children, of Crofton, arrived Wednesday. Mrs. Burkholder will keep house for her mother, Mrs. T. L. Howard, while the latter is absent from the city. Mrs. Jan. T. Wailer, of Hopkinsville, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Green, this week. Madisonville Hustler.

Mr. Geo. W. Center and family left Sunday for Nevada, Mo., where Mr. Center goes to engage in business. Nevada is a thriving city of 10,000 or 12,000 people. Mr. Center has been in business in Hopkinsville for ten years and is a gentleman of character and standing. He leaves many friends here whose good wishes he will take with him to his new home.

Don't forget it! Frankel's always leads in style and prices on wraps.

County Court Orders.

The Fidelity Trust and Safety Vault Co., of Louisville, has qualified as guardian for Beatrice and Jessamine Moayan.

Mrs. Sue C. Shanahan has been appointed administratrix of the estate of her sister, the late Miss Emma V. Clark.

W. R. Renshaw has been appointed overseer of the Butterfield road from P. Armstrong's to L. E. Grant's farm.

John P. Burnett qualified as administrator of the late Miss Mary L. Poindexter, with C. K. Wyly and F. M. Quarles as sureties.

Estray Notice.

Taken up by J. H. Duval, one black steer about two years old with part of switch off; marked with crop and slit in each ear; white on belly, white spot in left flank, sharp horns. Said steer was taken up by J. H. Duval about the 15th of July and appraised by me at \$12.00. (Given under my hand this Aug. 15th, 1900.)

W. L. PARKER, J. P. C. C.

PUBLIC SALE.

I will offer for sale to the highest bidder on Tuesday, October 2, on the premises, near Huffman's Mill, known as the Dawes farm, all the personal property of Tandy B. Mason, consisting of 3 work mules, 1 horse, 1 mare, full set farming implements, etc.

Terms will be made known on day of sale. PHIL W. WILLS.

Sept. 13, 1900.

WHAT THEY COST!

Is marked in plain figures on every job in our house. They were marked when first set up on the floor, and These Marks Will Not be Changed.

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS

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THIS PRICE

Will be allowed on every Buggy, Surrey and Phaeton in our repository. We have on hand 44 single buggies, 11 phaetons, and 16 surreys, all fresh, new goods. ONE-SIXTH OFF means from \$12 to \$25 on each vehicle. Will accept cash or good note in settlement. They ought to move out fast at this price. Come and get first choice.

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Has higher aspirations than for a police judgment as I intend to run for mayor the next term. And those people voting for me I will press and fit their clothes for time and those that don't vote for me at a very

VERY LOW PRICE

Until my term expires. Of course, I will be the fewer. I don't know what side I will take; will let you know later. If you should elect me mayor of your beautiful city I will make a handsome town for you. I don't believe in advertising. I don't. I will make some people seem to think I do. They even say that I got reading and writing all over my house and buggy. I think that's mean. Bring me your overcoats and have them

CLEANED AND REPAIRED AT HALF PRICE.

Our fall and winter goods are now in stock. Come and get your fall suits made by an UP-TO-DATE tailor. Suits cleaned and pressed by a new process. TELEPHONE 1344.

Sutton, Leading Tailor,

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Dissolution Notice.

If there are any unsettled claims against Miss M. A. Garrett and Alfred Major, growing out of the operation of the former's farm, please settle them with me by Sept. 10, as I am preparing to move next month. The business connection here-to-for existing between us has been dissolved. Louisville, Ky. ALFRED MAJOR.

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W. H. SHANKLIN, 7th and Virginia Streets, Hopkinsville, Ky.